

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 8 with the following amended paragraph:

Recently, there has been available a variety of broadcasting services which are terrestrial analog broadcasting, BS analog broadcasting, CS broadcasting, CATV and so on. Generally, subscribers-viewers selectively receive broadcasts at ~~own~~ home terminals according to ~~own~~ preferences, local conditions and service contents.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 1, line 14 with the following amended paragraph:

With this, each member of ~~members~~ in each home may always want to watch ~~own~~ preferred programs in a desired way at a particular place.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 9 with the following amended paragraph:

Terrestrial broadcasts (VHF, UHF) are received by a so-called television set 17 in which a receiver 11 and a display 15 are ~~[[is]]~~ combined.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 16 with the following amended paragraph:

A broadcast signal receiving system according to an embodiment of the present invention will be described below ~~below~~ with reference to the accompanying drawings.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 8, line 13 with the following amended paragraph:

The retransmission device 30 subsequently converts the high-frequency signals of plural different broadcasts (e.g., CS broadcast 1, BS broadcast ~~broad-cast~~ 2, terrestrial 3 and CATV 4) into common frequency signals and transmits them in time-series.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 9, line 1 with the following amended paragraph:

Nowadays, both the line transmission system and the wireless (radio) transmission system may handle ~~with~~ both analog signals and digital signals but the conventional analog transmission systems are gradually being replaced with digital transmission systems since the digital signals have some outstanding advantages over the analog signals: ease of reprocessing and noise immunity. Accordingly, it is surely anticipated that all transmission systems will be digitalized to handle ~~with~~ only digital signals in the near future.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 12, line 17 with the following amended paragraph:

Once a viewer selects ~~selected~~ a desirable broadcast, the signal selector 75 receives the user selection via the selection signal receiving means 87 and a power switch 102 of the power supply means 100 turns ON the power supply to a selected one of the receivers 61-64 and demodulators ~~modulators~~ 71-74 of the multiple broadcast receiving means 85 so that only the selected broadcast may be sent to the signal selector 75. Thus, only the broadcast signal selected by the viewer is transferred to the signal selector 75 wherefrom it is sent via the parallel-to-serial converter 80 to the common signal transmitting means 86.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 13, line 12 with the following amended paragraph:

The broadcast signal selected and serially converted by the signal selection and rearrangement means 88 is transferred to the common signal transmitting means 86 wherefrom it is sent, for example, as a millimeter wavelength signal 83 to the display device 90 to be described later ~~later~~ with reference to Fig. 6.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 15, line 4 with the following amended paragraph:

Namely, the above method is to receive a selection (switching) signal from the display device 90 by the selection signal receiving means 87 and transfer it to the signal selector 75 that

selects the broadcast and the channel according to the selection signal. Alternatively, the retransmission device 30 may include ~~be includes~~ a selecting means and allows the user to directly select a desirable broadcast by using a selection switch provided in the device or by transmitting a selection signal from a remote control to a remote control receiver provided in the device.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 16, line 23 with the following amended paragraph:

The BS broadcasting is now gradually being shifted from analog to digital. Similarly, received signals of a current analog BS broadcast changes, frame by frame, from 2-1 to 2-2 and 2-3 and a [[an]] one-frame signal is converted by the signal selector 75 and converted by the parallel-to-serial converter 80 into a common signal B.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 17, line 8 with the following amended paragraph:

The signal selector 75 subsequently transfers ~~transfer~~ plural signals (three CS, BS and terrestrial broadcast signals in the shown case) to the modulator 76 of the common signal transmitting means 86.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 18, line 2 with the following amended paragraph:

In this case, a modulated signal of each broadcast is selected by the signal selector 75, converted into serial data by the parallel-to-serial converter 80 and then transmitted by the common signal transmitting means 86. This arrangement has ~~have~~ no need of modulating all different broadcast signals by a single modulator, thereby achieving smooth transmission of the various different broadcast signals.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 18, line 15 with the following amended paragraph:

Namely, when the device recognizes CS, BS and terrestrial broadcasting signals respectively and converts them into common signals (re-transmittable signals), it may add a header to each of the common signals A (CS broadcast signal), B (BS broadcast signal) and C (terrestrial broadcast signal) so that each of the display devices can identify ~~identifies~~ the selected broadcast signal by the header of the common signal and display the correct broadcast on its display screen.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 20, line 22 with the following amended paragraph:

Furthermore, the system of the present invention basically supposes ~~suppose~~ that each user can freely select the location of each display device 90, for example, close to the retransmission device 30 or remote therefrom, for example, in another room on the same floor or different floors (1st and 2nd floor, 1st floor and 3rd floor) or a veranda within a reachable distance of the transmitting means.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 21, line 5 with the following amended paragraph:

As will be apparent from the foregoing, the broadcast signal receiving system according to the present invention offers the following advantageous effects:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 21, line 20 with the following amended paragraph:

The application using millimeter waves as radio transmission of the common signals from the retransmission device to display devices enables the user to more freely select a place of viewing a preferred TV program. This also allows viewers to concurrently watch different programs on separate display devices at different places. For example, it becomes possible for each family member to enjoy a own ~~own~~ preferred program in a comfortable pose at a favorite place. Namely, such individual requirements can be satisfied.